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Application of

Toru SHIMIZU, et al. : Confirmation No.: 9492

Application No.: : Group Art Unit: 1761

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For: FOOD PRODUCTS CONTAINING A FRUIT COMPONENT

## **PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.